Whiteknights Curriculum 2025-2026 -Overview Year group: 2



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Curriculum Theme	Seasides	World Wars	Animal Kingdom	The Great Fire of London	Plants and Oceans	Kings and Queens
Reading	RWI — non-fiction books (Master Readers)	Dirty Bertie	Animal Atlas	The Great Fire of London	Esio Trot	The Cat and the Castle
Writing	To entertain Character Description (The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch)	To inform Diary entry (Beauty & The Beast)	To inform letter <i>(seaside)</i>	To inform Diary entry (Great Fire of London)	To entertain Character description (Mr Hoppy/ Mrs Silver)	To entertain Traditional tale (Sleeping Beauty/Cinderella)
	To inform Letter writing (The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch)	To entertain Traditional tales (Beauty & The Beast)	To inform Instructions	To entertain Performance Poetry (Great Fire of London)	To inform Instructions	To entertain Performance Poetry (Windsor Castle)
Maths	Place Value Addition and Subtraction Shape		Money Multiplication and division Length and Height Mass, Capacity and Temperature		Fractions Time Statistics Position and Direction	
Science	Materials — waterproof	Food chains	Living things and their habitats	Humans — basic needs	Plants	
Geography	Human and physical features of a seaside		Where in the world? AND Identifying animals from around the world		5 Oceans and 2 Seas Orienteering	
History		Remembrance Day		The Great Fire of London		Kings and Queens

Art		Abstract painting	Animal sculpture - clay		Underwater plants - watercolours				
DT	Lighthouses - painting			Fire Engines — junk modelling		Making Crowns			
RE	What did Jesus teach us?	Christmas - Jesus as gift from God - Christianity	Prayer at home - Islam	Easter — Resurrection — Christianity	Community and Belonging - Islam	Hajj - Islam			
Computing	Effective Searching	Spreadsheets	Questioning	Presenting Ideas	Creating Pictures	Coding			
PSHE	Exercise	Self Care	Give To Others	Connect with Others	Challenge Yourself	Embrace the Moment			
Indoor PE	Seaside Dance	Gymnastics (Floor)	Multi-Skills	Pirate Fitness	Athletics	Rounders			
Outdoor PE	Ball skills	Ball skills	Multi-skills	Tennis	Athletics	Cricket			
Music	Recorders								
Enrichment Opportunities	RE Inspired	Nativity Performance	STEMbotics Workshop	Creating the Fire Of London	Tortoise visit	Windsor Castle			